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7 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
8 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
9 AT SEATTLE

10 AMANA GLOBAL COMPANY, et  
11 al.,

12 Plaintiffs,

13 v.

14 KING COUNTY FLOOD  
15 CONTROL ZONE DISTRICT, et al.,

16 Defendants.

CASE NO. C22-1626JLR

SHOW CAUSE ORDER

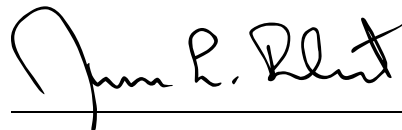
17 Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 4 requires a plaintiff to serve the defendant with a  
18 summons and a copy of the plaintiff's complaint and sets forth the specific requirements  
19 for doing so. *See* Fed. R. Civ. P. 4. Rule 4(m), which provides the timeframe in which  
20 service must be effectuated, states in relevant part:

21 If a defendant is not served within 90 days after the complaint is filed, the  
22 court—on motion or on its own after notice to the plaintiff—must dismiss  
the action without prejudice against that defendant or order that service be  
made within a specified time. But if the plaintiff shows good cause for the  
failure, the court must extend the time for service for an appropriate period.

1 *Id.* Here, it appears that Plaintiffs Amana Global Company and Hafid Tahraoui  
2 (collectively, “Plaintiffs”) have not served Defendant Pan Abode Homes, Inc. (“Pan  
3 Abode”) with a summons and a copy of Plaintiffs’ complaint within the timeframe  
4 provided in Rule 4(m). (*See generally* Dkt.)

5 Accordingly, the court ORDERS Plaintiffs to SHOW CAUSE, by February 24,  
6 2023, why this action should not be dismissed for failure to comply with Rule 4(m).  
7 Alternatively, Plaintiffs may respond, by February 24, 2023, with proof that Pan Abode  
8 has in fact been served or has agreed to waive service. If Plaintiffs do not demonstrate  
9 good cause for the failure to comply with Rule 4(m), the court will dismiss Plaintiffs’  
10 claims against Pan Abode without prejudice.

11 Dated this 14th day of February, 2023.

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14 JAMES L. ROBART  
15 United States District Judge  
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